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For: AGENT FOR ENHANCING THE ) February 18, 2009  
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REPLY TO FINAL ACTION: AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
Randolph Building, Mail Stop Amendments  
401 Dulany Street  
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Replying to the Final Office Action of December 18,  
2008, please amend as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the  
listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.